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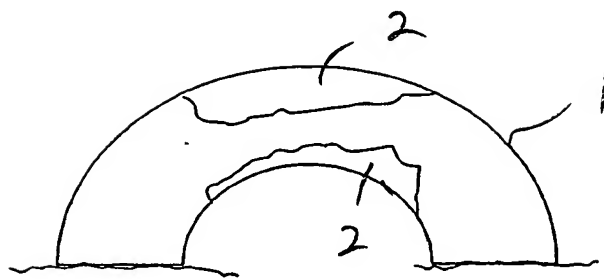


FIG. 1

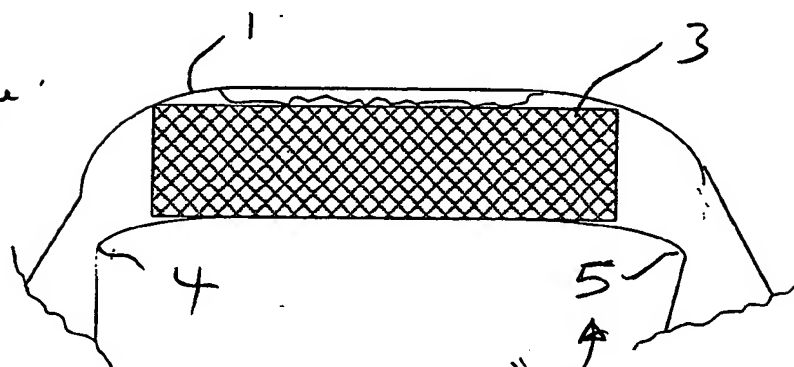


FIG. 2

Stiffness level
crossing angle

Should say "PRIOR ART" →

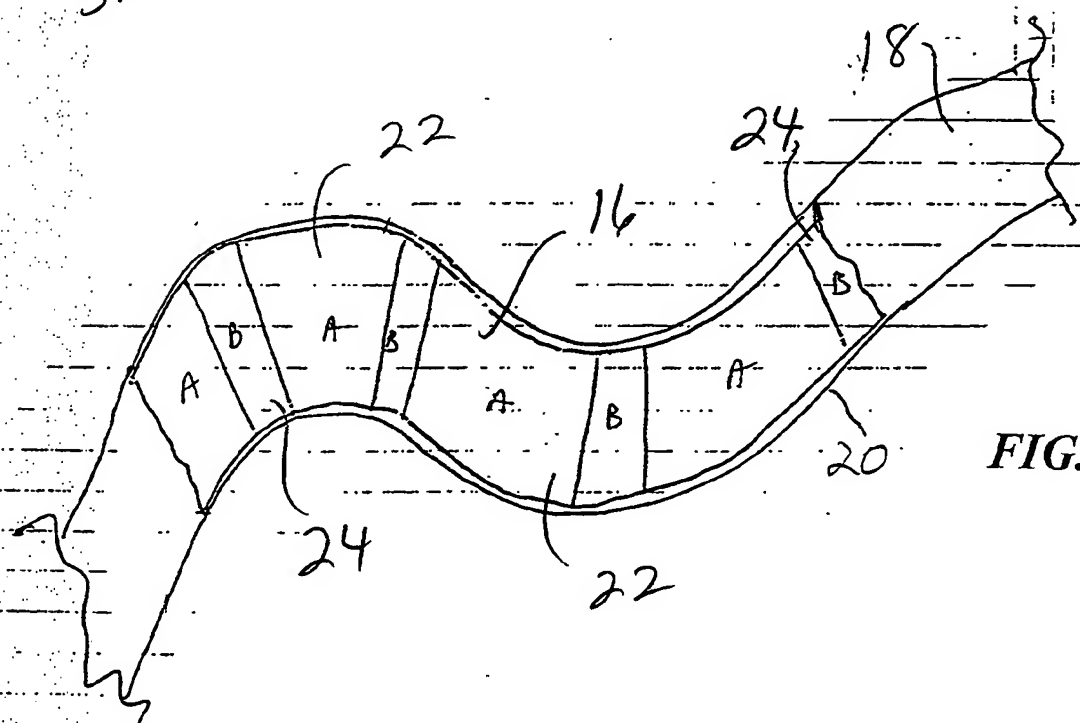


FIG. 3

very useful
in curved
sections
of vessel

Start
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interbraided
elastic strands

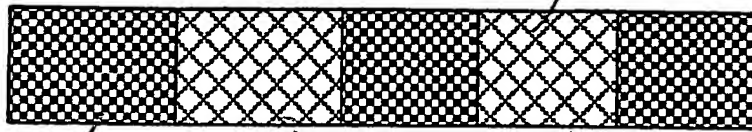


FIG. 4

30- higher strand crossing angle \Rightarrow higher radial force
alternating segments - crossing angle = $\pm 150^\circ$
then = 130°

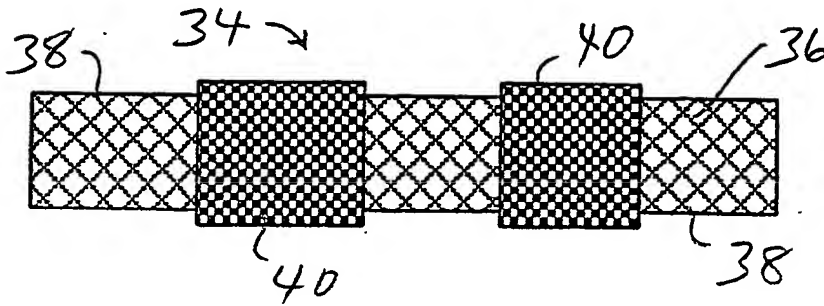


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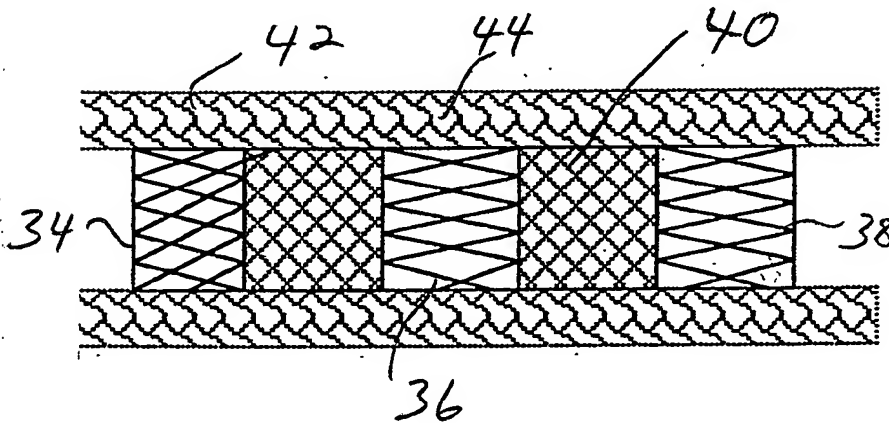


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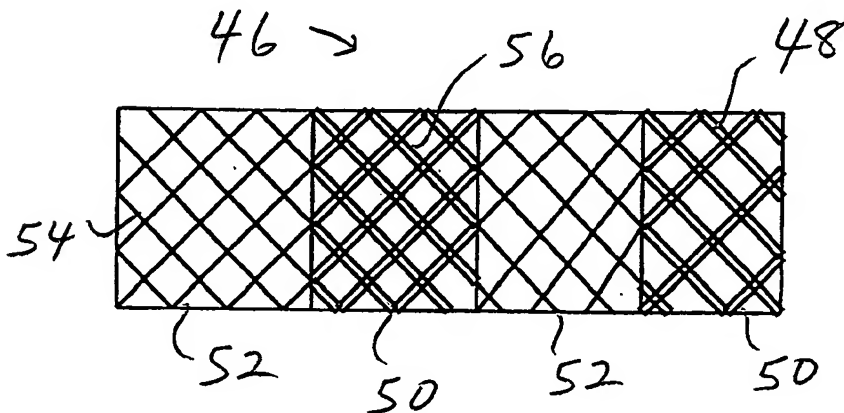
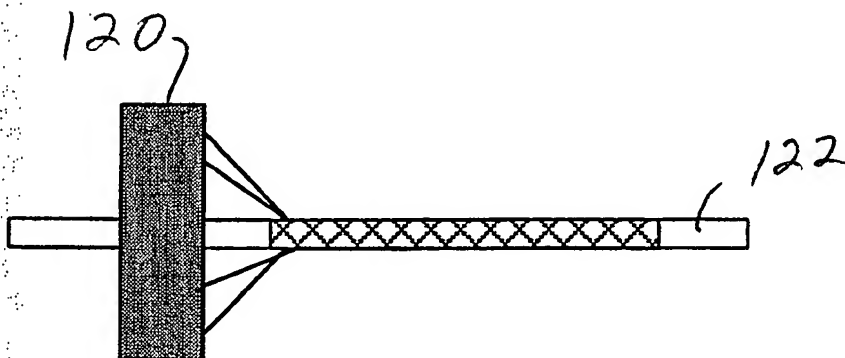
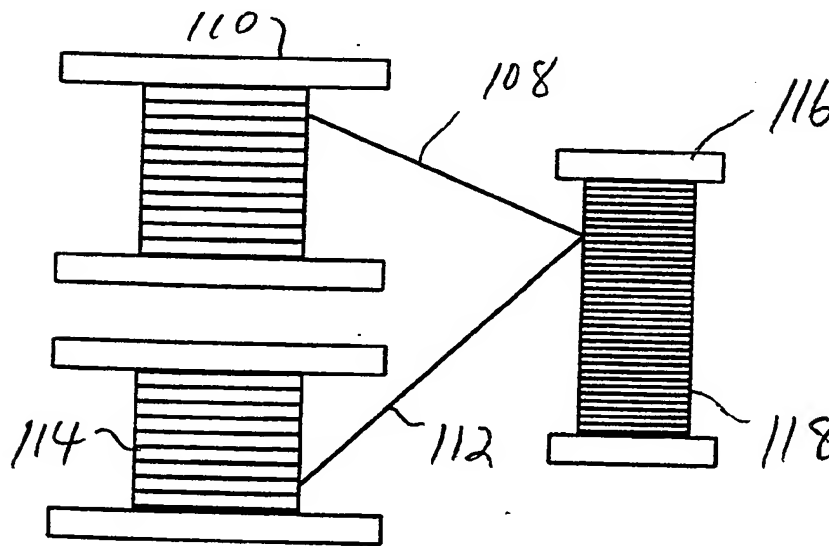
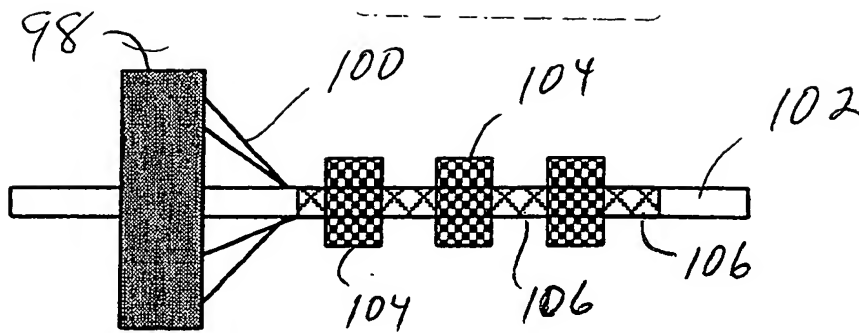


FIG. 7





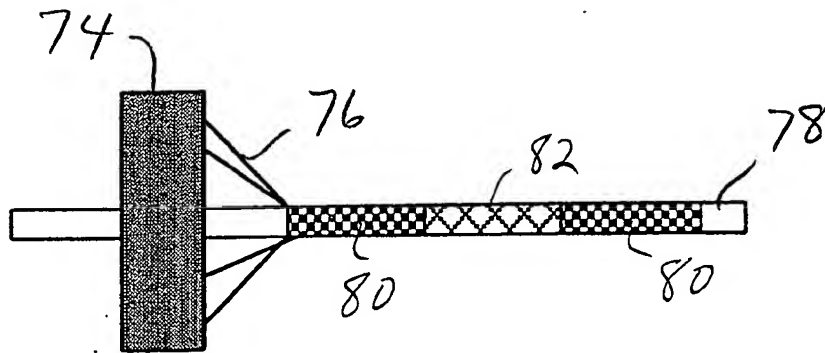


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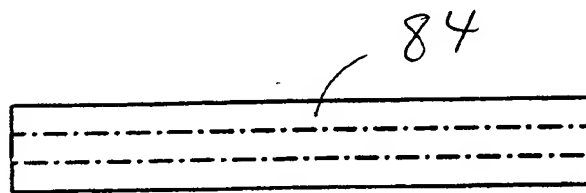


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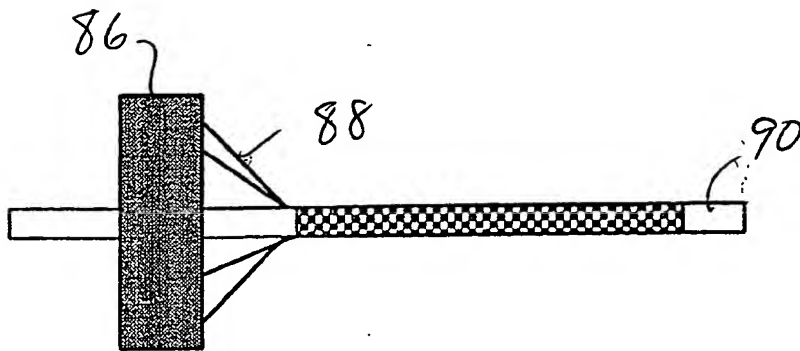


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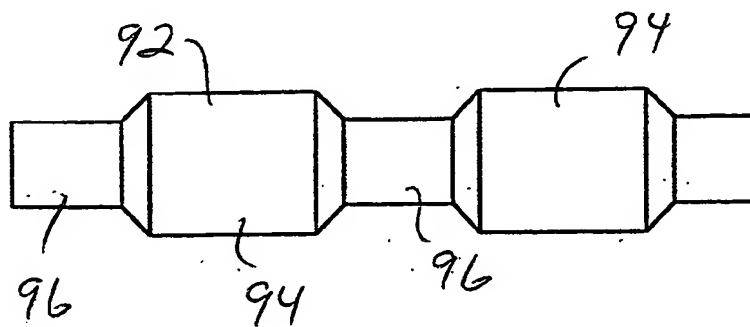


FIG. 15

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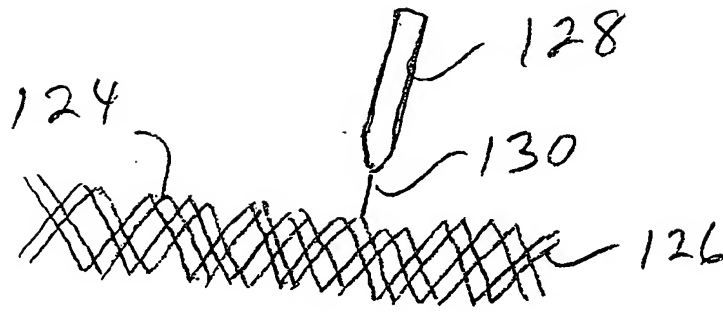


FIG. 19

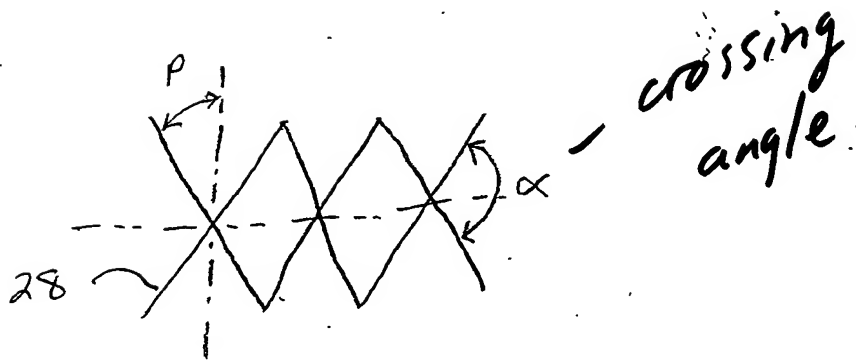


FIG. 4a